

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Hans-Ueli Roeck
Appln. No. : 10/772,605
Filed : February 5, 2004
Title : METHOD TO OPERATE A HEARING DEVICE AND A HEARING
DEVICE

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TC/A.U. : 2615
Examiner : Daniel Swerdlow

Customer No. : 00116
Docket No. : 36431

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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT "A"

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated August 10, 2006 (Paper No.200060803). The three-month period for responding to the Office Action expired on November 10, 2006. Accordingly, applicant respectfully requests and petitions that the response date be extended 2 months, up to and including January 10, 2007. One extra independent claim has been added. Please charge Deposit Account 160820, Order No. 36431 for the 2 month extension of time fee of \$450.00 and the additional independent claim fee of \$200.

Please amend the above-identified application in the following manner.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.